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Office of Nutritional Products Labeling & Dietary Supplements Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition Food and Drug Administration 5100 Paint Branch Parkway College Park, MD 20740-3835

Dear Sir or Madam:

This letter will serve as a 30-day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on the MusclEase supplement under the PhysioLogics brand name:

Ingredients: Calacium, Magnesium, Kava Kava, Passion Flower, Valerian

- Supports Overworked Muscles And Promotes Relaxation.
- In this unique formula, the natural relaxing herbs kava kava, valerian and passion flower are combined with calcium and magnesium – two essential minerals known to promote proper muscle function.
- This formula is especially good for those experiencing occasional stress or occasional muscular tension related to exercise.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,

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Director of Nutrition Communications

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